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Some Truths and Lessons

It is in times of adversity rather than of prosperity that the true character and strength of men, communities and nations is demonstrated. The world learns few lessons when things are booming and prosperity blossoms on every hand. When the sun shines and soft winds blow people are content to lie along, satisfied with things as they are. It is when the sun is hidden behind the storm clouds and the toughest rains that men, communities and nations are tested. It is then they begin to learn, bitter though the lessons may be.

Galling as the present world-wide depression undoubtedly is, bringing loss and suffering in its train, it is probably serving a useful purpose in teaching the world a few lessons and re-emphasizing a few old truths, which, in the days of their prosperity, men and nations apparently forgot; at least they ignored and gave no heed to them. Now these truths and lessons are being remembered and re-learned, and possibly, because the present world depression is more widespread and more severe than any of its predecessors, the lessons it is teaching will be taken a bit more seriously and have a more lasting and beneficial effect than ever before.

Yet these truths and lessons are as old as this world itself. The truths are fundamental; the lessons are stern and unchangeable.

One truth is that no man, no community, no nation can live unto itself alone. Not one of them is self-sufficient. Each is dependent to a greater or less extent on all others. God so made the world and puny man, notwithstanding his boasted powers and strength cannot alter it. This truth is becoming more widely recognized and accepted every day this depression lasts. It, and it alone, is driving the resultant lesson home.

Another truth that is once again growing into acceptance is that mankind is of greater importance and truer worth than anything and everything that man can invent and develop. Man has used his God-given intellect and powers to invent and develop machines primarily intended to be the servants of man, to supply his needs and cater to his comforts and well-being. But in his eagerness to invent, and develop, and create a machine-age, an age that was to be all-golden for him, man has over-reached himself until today, in many ways, the machine has become the master and man the servant.

To serve a machine-age, man has built himself huge cities wherein people live together like rabbits in a warren; pecked like starlings in a box. Individuals have largely lost their individuality in the mass, with initiative remaining with the few. The friendliness of the small town and the rural parts has been lost in the great cities where neighbor hardly knows neighbor. That self-respect and self-confidence and initiative inseparable from being a personality amongst men's neighbors has been largely lost in becoming a mere unit in a city's teeming population.

Children grow up today without having enjoyed childhood's rights of a natural life amidst natural surroundings; all about them is artificial, and bred in such surroundings and atmosphere, life itself becomes artificial.

The lesson that the world, perhaps, is beginning to learn is that we must get back to first things, and place them first in our scheme of life. The height of a city man's ambition should not be to amass greater wealth than he can profitably and beneficially use, and put forth his life's endeavors to making his city larger and larger, not as a means to greater and finer. Many are beginning to realize that the huge city is an evil, not a blessing; that man was not created to live and struggle in such surroundings. That, on the contrary, the small community is by far the happiest and the cheapest place in which to live, and that it offers advantages and pays dividends in health and contentment unknown in huge centres of populations where thousands live from hand to mouth in uncouth surroundings and with little or no prospect of bettering one's conditions.

Economic conditions of this depression have driven hundreds of young men and women, attracted by the glitter of the cities, back to the old home, on the farm, in the village and small town. For the time being, because world conditions are what they are, they may be denied many things they would like, but the wisest of them will stay there, and in the long run they will be the happier and better off for the staying.

Paris Police Keep Quiet

Refuse To Give Out Information About Person Leaving Home

If your husband or wife deserts you in Paris, it won't do any good to go to the police about it. And that applies to a son or daughter over 21 as well.

For the missing persons' bureau at police headquarters, handling over 25,000 requests a year, keeps the secrets of people who have chosen to leave home.

Suicides, accidental deaths and crime cases are reported at once to the families of the persons concerned, but since the law does not oblige a son, daughter, husband or wife to stay at home unless he or she wants to, all the police will say is "We have located Jules, or Marie, or, he, or, she, is well and happy and does not wish you to know where he, or, she, is staying."

British Shipbuilding

Increased Activity Is Indicated By Report Received At Washington

British shipbuilding is coming back, according to a report received by the United States Department of Commerce at Washington.

In October, new work was started on 15 vessels, aggregating nearly 70,000 tons dead weight.

The report says the upswing in October was due to a cut secured in labor cost, an arrangement with steel makers for cheap materials and "possibly to some extent by the steadily improving financial situation."

Mohair, the fine lustrous hair of the Angora goat, is harder to spin than wool because the hair scales are not so fully developed.

Bean pods in British Columbia often grow to a length of twelve inches.

Nerves A Complete Wreck Sat Up Half The Night

Mrs. John Rose, Back Lake, Ont., writes: "I was troubled so much with my nerves I was a complete wreck. I could not do my work, and would have to sit up half the night on account of not being able to sleep."

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Prince Galitzini Flies In Own Airplane

Purchase of Fokker Plane To Travel In Great Bear Lake District

An intention to state mining claims in the Great Bear Lake district, scene of recent discoveries of radium and silver ore claimed to be of fabulous richness, is believed to have been behind the purchase by a Russian nobleman recently from Canadian Airways, western line, of a Fokker airplane, Standard Universal type.

Prince Leo Galitzini, the nobleman in question, now a resident in the Edmonton, Alberta, district, went to Winnipeg one morning in an air mail plane, after flying all night accompanied by Grant Macdonald, Edmonton-trained commercial pilot.

During the day final arrangements for the purchase of the plane were completed, and delivery was arranged. Next morning Prince Galitzini, and his companion, left the Marlborough Hotel, where they had registered, at 8:30 a.m., went to the Canadian Airways' hangar at Stevenson Field, and hopped off for Edmonton with their new possession.

The airplane, whose official title is G-Case, is a seaplane, to the well known G-Case, which has covered many thousands of miles in northern flights, the record of which has become an epic.

Prince Galitzini, while not a licensed pilot, has already completed the greater part of a commercial pilot's training. Rumor has been busy connecting his purchase with an intention to stake mineral claims at Great Bear Lake, but the prince would neither confirm nor deny their truth. "I just want to take some pictures up there," he countered. "And whether after buying a cabin airplane he is going to stop at picture hunting is a question anybody can take a shot at answering."

Saskatchewan Horticultural Society

Resolution Passed At Annual Meeting Recommends Continuation Of Forestry Station Service

'Resolution recommending the continuation of the forestry station service, calling upon the Dominion Government to expand the service, and commending the purchase by the Federal Department of Agriculture of Dr. Seager Wheeler's farm at Rosher, were passed at the annual executive meeting of the Saskatchewan Horticultural Societies' Association, held at Saskatoon.

The meeting was held in lieu of the annual meeting at large of the association. Another resolution which was approved constituted an invitation to the Great Plains section of the Association of Horticultural Science, which comprises Canadian and American membership, to visit Saskatchewan during the summer of this year, when the convention makes its annual tour.

A resolution was also passed approving the international peace gardens movement, which is promoting a park or garden on the Canada-United States border.

A feature was the report made by Prof. Patterson on his mission as delegate to the Canadian Horticultural Council.

Those who attended were: W. W. Ashley, of Saskatoon, president; J. G. Rayner, director of extension at the university and secretary of the association; R. M. Wilson, Indian Head Experimental Farm; Prof. C. F. Patterson, Prince Albert, and Prof. H. Schmidt, Regina, past president and honorary vice-president; Norman M. Ross, Indian Head Forestry Station; F. Hedley Auld, provincial deputy minister of agriculture; H. McKay, of Melville; A. L. Morrison, Prince Albert, and W. B. C. Green, of Moose Jaw.

Saskatchewan Poultry Pool

Women guide the destinies of one of western Canada's largest enterprises—the Saskatchewan Poultry Pool. Last year the pool, of which a majority of the directors are women, grossed a turnover of over \$800,000. The president is Mrs. W. Morrison, of Spaulding, Sask., a farmer's wife.

Miller's Worm Powders not only exterminate intestinal and other worms, but they are a remedy for many other ailments of children. They strengthen the young stomach against biliousness and are tonic in their effects where the child suffers from loss of appetite. In few cases children they will be found useful and they will serve to allay pain and griping of the stomach, from which children so often suffer.

Like Canadian Tobacco The British smoker is tuning his palate to Canadian tobacco. Imports through the port of London of Canadian tobacco in 1931 amounted to 2,070,000 pounds against 728,000 pounds in 1930. Formerly Canadian tobacco was blended with other grades but a large proportion is now sold separately.

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Has Faith in Canada

Sir John Aldred Seen Domination Moving Towards Economic Recovery

Notwithstanding that the unfavorable and complicated world events of the past year make definite prediction impossible, Canada seems to be moving steadily, though slowly, toward economic improvement and recovery, declared Sir John Aldred, Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada, at the annual meeting of shareholders in Toronto.

"I reaffirm my faith in Canada," said Sir John. "It is a faith based not upon mere patriotic notions, but mainly upon the more than 60 years I have spent as a servant of business in this country. The best period of great, though occasionally interrupted, progress I envy those Canadians who have a lease on the next half century, for they will see their country advance to a still higher place in world business."

Sir John said it was a real cause for thankfulness that while severe financial storms raged in continental Europe, Great Britain and the United States, the Canadian banking structure had stood firm and unshaken. Canadian banks through adherence to sound principles of banking, not only in the extension of credit, but in the maintenance of strong liquid reserves, had saved the country from serious financial disturbance.

"I hold to my prediction," he said, "that a few months ago through the pressure of the war, Canada's gold production will be about \$100,000,000 ten years hence, almost double that for 1931."

Hay For Dried Out Areas

Large Shipments Are Being Made From The P.A.S. Man.

Hay shipments to the southern part of Saskatchewan will be completed by the end of March, it is expected among men at The P.A.S. Man, engaged in the work.

All about 12,000 tons of hay will be shipped to the dried-out areas in Saskatchewan, while a further 1,000 tons will go to southern Manitoba.

There is market for all available hay in the north country, the price is only average, about \$5.50 a ton. The work during the summer has provided work for large crews of men and crews are busily engaged in hauling hay to the railway from the Carrot Valley where it was baled last summer.

B.C. Dairy Act Ruling

Validity Of Products Sales Adjustment Act To Be Tested

Validity of the Dairy Products Sales Adjustment Act of British Columbia will be tested by an appeal to the judicial committee of the privy council, following the ruling of the British Columbia court of appeal that the statute is ultra vires.

Instructions have been issued to counsel by the lower mainland sales adjustment committee to carry an appeal to the highest tribunal in the Empire. Since it came into force the act has been fought by a Vancouver dairy company, prosecution of which resulted in the ruling of the court of appeal.

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Canada's First Library

Established In 1890 At Niagara-On-the-Lake

The oldest public library in Ontario and possibly the oldest in Canada, is at Niagara-on-the-Lake, according to the biennial report of 3,110 libraries of the Dominion by the Bureau of Statistics issued recently. Niagara-on-the-Lake library was established in 1890. Records for Quebec show none older than that of St. Charles, which came into existence in 1802.

The first public library in the west was established at New Westminster in 1863. Other western libraries originated as follows: Winnipeg, 1895; Carnduff, Saskatchewan, 1907; Regina, 1908; Calgary, 1912; Edmonton, 1913, and Red Deer, Alta., 1914.

Vegetables To Be Certified

All fresh vegetables sent from Belgium to England after March 15 must be accompanied by a certificate of origin, granted by the commune in which they are grown. The exportation of vegetables from France via Belgium, is strictly prohibited.

Self-Government For Burma

Hammy MacDonald Offers Plan Tempered With Safeguards

Prime Minister Hammy MacDonald has offered British self-government, but a self-government like that offered India, tempered with safeguards.

As he brought the Burma round-table conference to a close, he urged the need of laying the foundations of the new structure securely and well.

Take as much as is necessary to give your constitution a stamp, he pleaded. The great fabric of British liberty has not been built up by putting the roof on first. Never in history has a people attained at one leap its conception of what it ought to be and where it ought to be.

The proposed constitution for Burma as outlined by the Prime Minister may be summed up:

(1) Burma will be separated from India if separation is approved by the Burmese people.

(2) Burma will be governed by a legislature consisting of two Houses and a Ministry which, with certain qualifications, will be responsible to the legislature.

(3) The Upper House will be partly elected and partly nominated by the governor.

(4) The Lower House, of 120 to 150 members, will be strictly elected, with provision to secure adequate representation for minorities and special interests.

(5) The ministry will consist of about six, or not more than eight, members appointed by the governor and collectively responsible to the legislature. In appointing the ministers, the governor should normally seek the advice of the leader of the party commanding the largest following in the Lower House. The governor will have the right to preside at meetings of the ministry.

(6) Defence and external affairs are reserved for administration by the governor.

(7) Administration of the Shan states and backward tracts is vested in the governor.

The governor should be empowered in the last resort to take steps independent of the legislature to secure the necessary funds for administration of the reserved subjects.

Embargo On Potatoes

Effort Will Be Made To Have Great Britain Relined Chief Of Department Of Agriculture's Entomological Branch, Is Leaving For Great Britain

Arthur Gibson, chief of the Department of Agriculture's Entomological Branch, is leaving for Great Britain to assist in the negotiations aimed at the lifting of the embargo against Canadian potatoes. The official ban was made because Great Britain fears the importation of the potato beetle and it will be argued by the Dominion entomologist this fear is groundless.

Efforts to induce Great Britain lift the potato embargo are complicated. Canada has an embargo against British potatoes because of the "black wart" which infests some parts of that country. If Canada lifted its embargo as reciprocity for similar action by Great Britain, United States potatoes would be admitted. Since the United States has a statute which prohibits the importation of potatoes from any country where the black wart exists or from any country which permits the importation of potatoes from any such country.

For several weeks negotiations have been carried on by Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, for a solution of the problem.

Could Hardly Live For Asthma, writes one man who after years of suffering has found complete relief through Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. "Now I am free from asthma and less than half the suffering I have had. This marvelous remedy gives sure help to all afflicted with asthma. Inhaled as smoke or vapor it brings the help so long needed. Every dealer has it or can get it for you from his wholesaler."

Women's Press Club

1932 Convention Is To Be Held In Calgary In June

Every three years the active newspaper women of the Dominion, who form the Canadian Women's Press Club, hold a convention, and in 1932 the meeting will be held in Calgary. Dates for the conference have been set, June 28-30.

The entertainment committee hopes to arrange a motor trip into the country surrounding the prairie city. A short stay at Banff may be arranged. For the business part of the gathering addresses on craft topics will be given by prominent writers and workers from various parts of Canada. It is hoped also that an English writer will be among those on the programme.

Wiry kangaroos from Australia are used in their tendons to American surgery. The muscle sinews from these animals is used by doctors to make stitches in human cuts.

Need for super-caution in running automobile motors indoors is shown by a case in which a man was killed though one garage door was open.

A small town is also the place where a dress is recognized even if it is cleverly made over.

General Daves

Retirement As U.S. Ambassador To Britain In Cause Of Regret

There will be regret that Charles G. Daves is shortly to retire as United States ambassador to Great Britain and from public life altogether. Mr. Daves has been a useful figure in international politics of recent years. He has also been a picturesque and likeable type.

Mrs. Daves was a banker and financier when he first came into international prominence, and it is possible that he may return to this field, in his home State of Illinois. He served as a general under General Pershing in the Great War, and later, as everyone knows was author of the Daves plan for German reparations payments—later superseded by the Young Plan, and which plan, in turn, may now be drastically revised or even discarded altogether, in the light of Germany's serious economic position. Next came a turn by Mr. Daves as Vice-President of the United States, and here he found opportunity for some of the plain speaking that has consistently marked his career. A year or two ago he went on his way to publicly praise their achievement in the War and their pluck and honor in the matter of war debt payments. Mr. Daves indeed was so outspoken on this occasion that if what he said had come from anyone else Washington might have been tempted to regard it as an "incident."—Regina Leader.

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Ancient Shorthand

System Of Shorthand Writing In Use 200 Years Before Christ Shorthand symbols are of ancient Roman origin, a recent archeological study has revealed. Romans were widely using a uniform system of shorthand writing 200 years before Christ. This principally with the aid of a shorthand writer named Manann, who has brought to light the full alphabet of ancient Roman shorthand writers. The symbols are, in some respects, similar to those employed today. Several centuries before Christ, when Rome was extending her provinces into every part of the world, the need for speed brought forth several forms of abbreviated writing by symbols which were swiftly adopted for commercial enterprise. Ancient records show most of the accounts and letters of Roman firms were written in shorthand without transcribing, as the recipient was always familiar with the code employed.

Placing the Blame

The Soviet newspaper "Pravda" asserted editorially that responsibility for the Japanese occupation of Manchuria rests principally with the United States. The editorial laid the United States attitude to the policies of Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson which it described as directed at weakening Japan, excluding Japanese capital from Inner China and at the capital from Inner China and at the Soviet Russia.

Woodstock, Ont.—Although this town is in the centre of a dairy produce district the per capita consumption of milk amounts to a little more than one-third of a pint.

It is said to be one of the biggest jobs of its kind in the world.

Centenarian Women

Six Times As Numerous As Men In Great Britain

There were 104 centenarians drawing old-age pensions in Great Britain on April 25 last.

This is stated in the annual report of the Commissioners of Customs and Excise, issued recently.

Of these 91 were women and 13 men. The oldest of all was a woman born in 1825, and therefore then 106. Another woman was 105, three were 104, and seven were 103. The oldest men were three aged 102. Twelve women had reached that age.

Soviet Oil Production Short

The production of oil in the Soviet Republic in 1931 amounted to 22,300,000 tons, 16 per cent short of the program for the year, but almost 4,000,000 tons in excess of the 1930 figures.

A chestnut tree in Sicily is reported to be 60 feet in diameter, and the largest tree known.

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More Optimism Is Prevalent In Dominion's Western Northland Than In Other Parts Of Canada

Canada's western northland faces the coming year with more optimism than any other part of the Dominion. Developments and activities in mining and aerial transportation during the past year, indicate the opening of a new and prosperous empire on the fringes of the Arctic Circle.

Rich and vast deposits of radium-bearing ore and equally rich deposits of silver have been discovered at Great Bear Lake, 1,500 miles north of Edmonton, Alberta. Radium deposits at Lake Point and silver deposits at Echo Bay have proved to be very valuable and could easily meet the high cost of transportation.

\$400 per ton, states Dr. Hugh S. Spence, Mineral Technologist of the Federal Department of Mines, in his report of his survey of the Great Bear Lake district.

Continued expansion of aerial transport and passenger service is bringing these rich mineral fields within easy distance of the outside world. Waterways, Alta., 300 miles north of Edmonton, is the nearest railway point, and ore is now shipped here from the north by airplane. One of the largest airplanes in Canada, a Junkers machine built for Canadian Airways, limited, for service in the north, may be used for freightage ore and supplies from the mineral fields this winter.

A flying base has been established at McMurtry, and weekly mail deliveries are made from here to Akla-vik, 1,500 miles north.

Poverty, unemployment and depression are things practically unknown in the Northwest Territories. The Eskimos at the Mackenzie delta are in a prosperous condition and are the possessors of many schooners with high-powered auxiliaries. These schooners, costing from \$3,000 to \$7,000 each, provide floating summer homes as the people move about the delta or along the sea coast. Credit to the natives and trappers has been cut down this year and fur prices are lower than usual, but they have ample supplies, and a good crop of fur is expected.

Canada's far north country is becoming more and more self-sustaining. Wild game provides plenty of meat for the skilled hunter and each man grows his own vegetables—the crop along the Mackenzie River last summer was the best in years. Health prevails everywhere. Doctors, who are the only professional men in the north, would starve if they were not hired by the government to give medical attention to the Indians and Eskimos, it is said.

The Northwest Territories cover two-fifths of the total area of Canada, but there are only about 1,000 whites and 5,000 natives throughout the whole country. An influx of prospectors, mining men and tourists, however, is expected in the coming summer, owing to the interest surrounding the Great Bear Lake radium discoveries. Activities in this area last year increased freightage along the Mackenzie River enormously. More than \$10,000 was expended on road building and improvements at Smith Fortage, a 16-mile portage on the Mackenzie River near Fort Smith. Preparations for an active year in this district during 1932 are now underway.

Hudson's Bay Company river steamers, formerly only used for the transport of their own cargo and the company employees, now are available for tourist travel.

Northward the tide of empire certainly makes its way. Since the time Peter Bond established a port at Lake Athabasca before 1800, when southern Alberta, British Columbia and Saskatchewan were unexplored, for many decades the tide flowed sluggishly. In recent years, however, there has been a quickening of the current, the result of which is plainly evident and which will become more so when the spring break-up raises the temporary barrier into the northland.

Fuel Oil Replaces Coal

Relative to the reduction in volume of the importation of anthracite coal, the Bureau of Statistics announced recently that the replacement by fuel oil must be considered. In 1929 there was a possible displacement of 310,000 tons of coal, 125 gallons of fuel oil being equal to about one ton of coal. The displacement has been added to since then.

An electrically driven machine now chops the hay crop, removes its moisture, and blows it into mows.



"These are your sons?"
"No, my grandchildren. I never had any children."—Gutierrez, Madrid.

Old U.S. Locomotive Placed On Exhibition

Centenary of "John Bull" Observed At Smithsonian Institution

America's oldest steam locomotive, "John Bull," celebrated its one hundredth anniversary, recently, when an elaborate centennial birthday exhibition of the veteran engine with its tender and passenger car was placed on display in the Hall of Transportation of the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C., according to an announcement from the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The "John Bull" arrived in Philadelphia by a sailing ship from England in August, 1831, and two months later pulled the first train over the pioneer Camden & Amboy Railroad, one of the earliest railroads in the United States and now part of the Pennsylvania Railroad System. This first trip of the "John Bull" marked the first movement of a train by steam power in the history of the State of New Jersey, and one of the earliest runs of a steam locomotive anywhere in the United States, it was said.

The century-old veteran of the rails was decked with flags and shone forth in all of its ancient glory as the central figure of the special anniversary display.

Canada Has Advantages

Geographical Position Makes Dominion Source Of Produce For Consuming Centres

Describing what he believed to be Canada's geographical advantage as a source of produce for the consuming centres of the world, Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals, and Acting Minister of Trade and Commerce, in an address at Ottawa, expressed himself as most emphatically of the opinion that this country would take great strides in trade and commerce as soon as economic conditions improved.

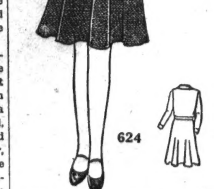
Dr. Manion was addressing a joint luncheon of the Ottawa Board of Trade and the Eastern Canada Fruit and Vegetable Jobbers' Association.



By Annette



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SCHOOL GIRL FROCK THAT IS EASY TO WEAR WITH SKIRT THAT SWISHES ABOUT IN RUNNING

This smart little tweed-like woolen of fashionable light weight, favors the smart wrapped arrangement at the front. It is exactly the same as the college miss is wearing. It is that lovely new shade in Spanish tile. The bone buttons match the fabric. The rolled collar, cuffs and belt are plain woolen in brown shade, a most pleasing combination. Style No. 624 may be had in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 7 1/2 yards of 36-inch material with 1/2 yard of 36-inch contrasting. And you'll be amazed at how simple it is to make it. The three-piece skirt is circular. It is attached to the bodice, that also cuts in three sections.

Other attractive fabrics for its development are wool jersey, wool crepe, wool challis and tweed-like cottons.

Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

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Price Wheat

Varieties Of Grain To Grow Which Have Best Chance Of Success

In order to win highest prices in seed trials and grain exhibitions, it is necessary to grow those varieties which have the best chance of success, and, fortunately, the varieties ordinarily grown for commercial purposes in Saskatchewan are those which show well in competition. A statement to this effect was made by S. H. Vigor, Saskatchewan field crops commissioner, in recommending the following varieties as being not only suitable for exhibitions but the best for general field use, his recommendations being based on long experience as supervisor of Saskatchewan exhibits at important national and international shows.

Wheat: Hard red spring, Reward and Marquis; Durum, Minidum.

Oats: Standard, Victory; Early, Gopher.

Barley: Two-rowed, Hancock; trell; trell; six-rowed, O.A.C. 21 for malting purposes, but not so satisfactory for exhibition purposes as the brighter colored six-rowed varieties.

Flax: Bluen, a new, large-seeded, high-yielding, well-resisting variety.

Rye: Spring, Prolific; fall, Dakota. This cannot compete in seed shows with Rosen rye, which is non-hardy in Saskatchewan.

Canada Producers Bending

Energies Forward

Finds Better Quality In Farm Production

"The markets for Canada's agricultural products for the future would seem to depend upon quality as well as quantity of production," observes Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Federal Deputy Minister of Agriculture, "Canadian producers are evidently becoming more and more conscious of this situation, bending their efforts toward the improvement of the quality of their products. Many of our agricultural products going overseas command a premium on the British and other markets." Dr. Grisdale also points out that prices for all agricultural staples are now on an export market basis, and that while these are probably not quite so satisfactory as they might be, production is definitely expanding and the farmer knows exactly where he stands relative to prices, that is to say: Canadian prices are world prices, and are not likely to be seriously affected by any consistent increase in production.

And the last act of the drama is when the full bottles are packed into lorries and carts and sent out into the streets for delivery to the customer.

Style Show "Goes Olympic"

Influence Of Games Shows Greatly In Los Angeles Fashion Review

The influence of the Olympic games is strong in style offerings presented by Hollywood and Los Angeles apparel manufacturers in a three-day fashion review.

Minister of Immigration Must Review Each Separate Appeal

The judgment of the Montreal court which ruled the Minister of Immigration must review each appeal from a deportation order will add materially to the duties of Hon. W. A. Gordon, who administers the department. During the past year Canada deported about 4,000 persons and in each case, whether appealed from or not, the department at Ottawa reviewed the evidence. The judgment of the court would oblige the minister himself to perform this duty.

Whether the Dominion will carry the judgment to a higher court could not be learned. If this step were not taken, it was believed possible the government would amend the legislation. The next session of parliament, specifying some departmental officials, such as the Deputy Minister, to review all cases.

Canadian Tobacco

Since Shipment Includes Types Put On Market In Great Britain

Agricultural officials at Simcoe, Ontario received a consignment of "Canadian Club" tobacco, which was recently put on the market in Great Britain by one of the leading British firms. A dozen or more types of tobacco are included in the shipment. The manufacturers are the first in Great Britain to place a strictly Canadian brand on the market, and Ontario tobacco growers are closely watching their success which has been most encouraging to date. The tobacco, according to those who have smoked it, has a distinctive and pleasant flavor, unlike the American product.

Scotland's Live Stock Census

On June 4, 1931, according to a report just issued by the Department of Agriculture, there were in Scotland's 153,400 horses used for agricultural purposes, 1,208,500 cattle, 7,697,100 sheep and 154,000 pigs. Including those hatched before 1931 and those hatched this year, there were 6,600,000 fowls, 220,000 ducks, 21,400 geese and 92,000 turkeys.

The fibrous waste from sugar cane is being made into insulating lumber that is strong, and tough, and light in weight.

Tamed Falcons are helping train German student airplane pilots. Their flight can be controlled and kept within range of a film camera.

Machines for the utilization of the earth's currents of electricity are being invented.

The Great Pyramid of Cheops in Egypt covers an area of more than 13 acres.

The Miracle Of London's Milk

London Drinks 1,120,000,000 Pints a Year

The Overseas Daily Mail says: London drinks 1,120,000,000 pints of milk a year. Every morning it appears on her doorsteps in capped bottles. The Londoner accepts it without a word. He never thinks of the miracle of organization that makes it possible.

The miracle begins on farms which are sometimes over 80 miles from the metropolis. Three hundreds of cows are milked hygienically by ranchery. The milk goes into churns which are taken to the station where the milk is poured into great tanks, cooled to 40 degrees, and tested by experts to ensure its purity. Then it is pumped into railway tanks, each of which holds 3,000 gallons. The tanks are hitched on to an express and off they go to London. From the less productive districts the milk comes in churns by train and by lorry.

Once in London, the milk is dealt with by one of the handling depots. The largest of these is at Willesden. There work on the previous afternoon's milk is begun at 1 a.m., and 50,000 gallons is dealt with ere the day's work is done.

Pumped by compressed air from the special tanks that have brought it from the country, the milk proceeds through the factory like a vast river. It passes through a series of pipes wherein it is brought to a temperature of 140 degrees and pasteurized. It flows into 5,000 gallon tanks where it is cooled to 40 degrees. On it goes to the bottling machines. Every now and again, as it passes, a white-coated chemist takes a sample that the stream may be proved to be pure.

The bottling machines are a marvel in themselves. Inside them 380,000 bottles dance every day, a slow thirty-minute dance through eight tanks of scalding solution. Shot out at the rate of 360 a minute, the bottles are swiftly filled and neatly capped, all without human hand going near them.

And the last act of the drama is when the full bottles are packed into lorries and carts and sent out into the streets for delivery to the customer.

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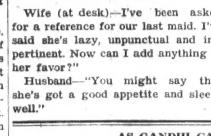
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Monster Peace Petition

Hon. R. B. Bennett Says Petition Should Strengthen Hands Of Peace Delegates

So long as the description of men for military service and the expenditure of millions of dollars on armaments continue, so long will the danger of war exist, states Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, The Prime Minister's remarks followed the acceptance of a monster petition compiled by the League of Nations Society of Canada and the Women's International League of Peace and Freedom. It was presented by Dr. H. M. Tory, president of the society, and associated with him was Senator C. P. Beaumont.

In the course of his brief observations the Prime Minister announced that Canada's delegates to the disarmament conference at Geneva next month will be Rt. Hon. Sir George Perley, Hon. Maurice Dupre, solicitor-general, and Miss M. W. Kydd, president of the National Council of Women.

The Premier said the petition, which contained 480,000 signatures, would be "an added inducement to our Canadian delegates to express our views favoring disarmament as strongly as possible at the conference."

The presentation of the petition was marked by great ceremony and took place in the senate chamber of the parliament buildings.

Prepare Year Ahead For Dry Land Garden

Result Of Experimental Work Carried On At Lethbridge

Experimental work at Lethbridge, Alberta, shows that to ensure a fair measure of success in the kitchen garden on the dry land farm it must be prepared at least one year ahead. Superintendent W. H. Fairchild, M.S.C. L.D., in his annual report just issued points out that it is desirable to reserve twice the area desired; to apply well rotted manure to the part to be summer-fallowed; just before ploughing; to cultivate just enough to curb weeds; to plough about eight inches deep; to make rows wide enough apart to permit the use of the hand cultivator; and to provide a suitable windbreak on the windward (not necessarily the northward) side of the permanent garden site. Vegetables in a dry land garden usually mature earlier than on irrigated land.

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Canada Is Weathering This Period Of Difficulty In Favorable Manner According To Economist

Donald M. Marvin, economist, writing in Canada business conditions in the Royal Bank of Canada monthly news letter, says Canada is weathering this period of difficulty in a favorable manner. We reproduce his article in part.

The Canadian business situation at the end of 1931 reflects the difficulties resulting from two years of world-wide depression. There are few industries which have not been seriously affected. The decline in the price of agricultural products has been particularly severe and the difficult situation created by these conditions was further aggravated by drought in Western Canada. Gold production has continued to expand and the record established by the 1931 output is one of the outstanding features of the year. Industrial activity and the difficult situation in the construction of new buildings have been maintained in reasonable volume and employment has suffered less contraction than in many other countries. Canada, however, is dependent upon foreign purchases for the disposition of a large part of her products and has been seriously affected by the purchasing power of many of her customers. In addition, Canadian industrialists have had to contend with the confusion resulting from numerous adjustments in her foreign exchange relations.

The volume of agricultural production was considerably reduced as a result of extreme drought conditions in the Prairie Provinces, particularly in the southern sections of Saskatchewan. Wheat and other crops were severely damaged and farmers in the affected areas did not harvest sufficient quantities to meet their own requirements. Alberta and the northern districts of Saskatchewan and Manitoba had a more successful year, but the Western wheat crop alone is 100 million bushels smaller than in 1930—a year of moderate harvest only. Conditions in Eastern Canada and British Columbia were more favorable and some crops created new records. Apples and potatoes are so plentiful that their disposal has presented a problem; the tobacco crop in Ontario is a bumper one of splendid quality. Prices for all farm products have declined to very low levels and, with the reduced crops in the West, the value of Canadian field crops shows a serious reduction from previous years, being officially estimated for 1931 at \$43,550,000 as compared with \$63,150,000 in 1930 and \$48,861,000 in 1929.

Livestock and dairy farmers had excellent pasturage and plenty of feed for their herds. Increased interests in dairying has been shown in Alberta and Saskatchewan, and butter production has been greatly expanded. In Saskatchewan, output for the first ten months of the year exceeded 17,000,000 pounds, an increase of 35 per cent. over the corresponding period of 1930. This total is greater than the highest previous full year's output for Saskatchewan, viz. 16,632,765 pounds in 1926. Exports of butter from Canada to Great Britain were resumed in substantial volume after a lapse of some years. The total quantity shipped during the twelve months ended October 31st, amounted to 9,922,800 pounds against 1,157,400 pounds in the previous year. The export of cattle to England has also been heavier than in many years. Trial shipments were also made to France and Belgium. In order to provide a regular supply of high-grade stock for the export market, the Ontario Government has arranged for the finishing during the winter of selected animals from Western Canada by Ontario farmers.

Supplies of wheat are still large but are somewhat reduced from last year. Export shipments increased in volume towards the end of the year and prices have shown an upward trend. A substantial reduction in the large world stocks of wheat and the return of prices to a profitable level would do much to re-establish Canadian agriculture on a satisfactory basis.

The rapid expansion in gold output was the outstanding feature of the Canadian mining industry last year. In 1930 the value produced was \$43,453,600; for 1931, the total for all Canada is placed at \$55,000,000. Ontario production alone equaled the Dominion total in 1930. Quebec, the second largest gold producing province of the Dominion, doubled its output, the total reaching \$6,000,000 compared with \$2,930,170. Manitoba and British Columbia also report increased production. Established mines greatly expanded their output during the year; mill capacities were increased and great improvements made in methods of recovery. New mines have entered the ranks of the shippers, and in several instances, old properties, where production had become unprofitable, are again being worked. Exploration and prospecting work have been pushed forward vigorously and many promising finds have been reported in new areas in Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia. The prospective development of these areas promises continued expansion in this industry.

Canada has been fortunate in maintaining her production and general

business activities at present levels when other countries are faced with conditions of the greatest difficulty. Unemployment and its accompanying hardships have been felt less in Canada than in most countries. Promising features in the present economic outlook include the healthy condition of savings deposits, the strong technical position of Canadian manufacturers and a prosperous gold mining industry. The decline in activity of trade has been reflected in the falling off in the volume of current loans and clearing house returns. The most difficult situation in Canada is that of agriculture. A revival of world trade and a return of profits to agriculture must precede any general return of prosperity to this country, but Canada is weathering this period of difficulty in a favorable manner and will be in an admirable position to participate in the first material advance.

Valuable Musical Instruments

Worth More Than A Quarter Million Dollars, May Be Secured For Canada

Canada, within the near future, may secure possession of four of the most treasured musical instruments in the world. Two violins, a cello and a viola, valued at more than a quarter million dollars, and which are considered among the finest works of Antonio Stradivari are for sale in New York.

The instruments were brought to this country by Emil Heerman, noted expert of Berlin. They are owned by the Phillips Mendelssohn family of the German capital.

As a gesture of international friendship the instruments were loaned to the Hart House String Quartette of the University of Toronto. Recently the quartette entertained the Canadian Club.

Following the performance a distinguished Canadian voiced the suggestion that efforts should be made to secure the instruments.

Critics Economic System

Dire Want In Some Parts Of Canada And Abundance In Other Parts

Criticism of the modern economic system was voiced by Rev. E. H. Oliver, D.D., of Saskatoon, moderator of the United Church of Canada, preaching in St. Andrew's Wesley Church at Vancouver recently.

Contrasting the want in some parts of the prairies with the abundance of produce in parts of Ontario where fruit had been left on the trees to rot, he found reproach for modern conditions in that it never occurred to anyone to use the abundance to relieve the want.

He said one day it would occur to some one, perhaps any day it would occur to legislators and then they would bring relief to misery and distress.

"In the new day to come it will not do to have abundance in one community and want in another," Dr. Oliver declared.

Will Golfers Discard Bags?

New 1932 Trend May Do Away With Caddies

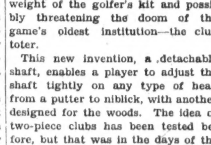
The 1932 model set of golf clubs is now on the market, an innovation which aims to reduce materially the weight of the golfer's kit and possibly threatening the dominance of the game's oldest institution—the club tamer.

This new invention, a detachable shaft, enables a player to adjust the shaft lightly on any type of head from a putter to niblick, why it is rather designed for the woods. The idea of two-piece clubs has been tested before, but that was in the days of the hickory shaft when the screw arrangement proved unsuitable.

Good Eggs Have Firm Yolks

Quality in eggs is usually shown quite clearly by the condition of the yolks. In a good, fresh egg the yolk stands up well when it is broken out of the shell, and is firm and well shaped. A weak and flabby yolk indicates that the egg is old or has been handled improperly, according to a recent bulletin from the North Dakota Agricultural College.

Probably women will quit driving from the back seat when men quit cooking from the dining room table.



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PRESENTATION TO
MAYOR JACKSON

A very happy incident occurred in the Town Office on Friday evening, January 28, just prior to the Annual meeting when the members of the 1931 Council gathered together and presented Mayor Gilbert T. Jackson with a handsome travelling bag. In making the presentation on behalf of the Council, Councillor Edwin H. Jones, K.C., expressed the sincere regret of all his fellow members that the Mayor found it necessary for business reasons to retire at this time after five years of official service on the Council, five of which were spent in the service in the Mayor's chair. He pointed out the many acts of public service rendered by the Mayor to the citizens of Lacombe during his term of office as well as the installation of public utilities which under his guiding hand, had been made a reality in the last few years, the need for which had been long and urgently required. Mayor Jackson in thanking the members of the Council for their kind expression of appreciation, disclaimed all personal credit for any successful transactions closed by the Council during his term of office. While it was his privilege, the Mayor stated, to sit at the head of the Council table during the past five years, any credit that may be due for taking advantage of opportunities which have resulted in benefit to the citizens of Lacombe should be equally divided among the members of the Council who worked harmoniously with him toward that end.

Alberta School Week
At Lacombe

All over Alberta special attention is being given to school affairs this week and perhaps it may be a good time for us to look over the local situation and offer a few suggestions to improve education as we find it here, though what we have to say might well be applied to any place in Canada, probably with equal truth and perhaps with equal result. Co-operation between home and school is seldom sufficient, and a group of misunderstandings is likely to arise and does arise in many cases from this condition. We seldom quarrel with people whom we know well and never with those for whom we have a keen sympathy. Co-operation must be born of these two things in order to be helpful and should be fostered by a keen interest on the part of both parents and teachers in the welfare of the coming generation.

On too many occasions the teacher does not attempt to reach into the home to co-operate with the parents and, equally bad, the parents remain in a shell and keep out of the teacher through the eyes of a child, whose stories are often (or should I say always) moulded by his own view point. Both are inclined to wait till they get red hot over some incident of school life and then rush out to meet the other in a blaze of anger, often the hotter because both realize that they have not done a child whose stories are often (or should I say always) moulded by his own view point. Both are inclined to wait till they get red hot over some incident of school life and then rush out to meet the other in a blaze of anger, often the hotter because both realize that they have not done a child whose stories are often (or should I say always) moulded by his own view point.

We meet the parent in every district who says "I pay my school taxes to hire teachers and provide a school in which my children are to be taught and I'm through at that." We also meet the teacher who says "I'm not keeping a child in my school who does not do his homework" (and power is given a teacher to suspend for that reason). When these two people meet, what is the result? Mr. Parent says, "You will." Miss Teacher says, "I will not," and there they stand, both legally within their rights. The real rub comes when we consider the moral side of it. The teacher says "I'll give way and allow the child to come on to my class. Immediately the class progress is slowed up and a dozen begin to fuss because pupils in the next class know more than their sons and daughters do in the same course, or if the parents do not fuss at all the course is not completed as it should be and many deserving pupils fail because of one child's laziness and its influence on the rest of the class. But let us blame the child too much, let's remember that he is only 13 years of age; that he has only six hours per day in school and eighteen in which to loaf and do as he pleases; that no control is exercised over those eighteen hours, except to see that he gets home for meals, I stand flat-footed about it. He's not to blame. Selfishness may demand of a parent that the use all his time for his own interests but honour and morality demand that he shall guide and regulate the life of his son and nobody else can do it.

Suppose the teacher tries to fill in and overcome the neglect of the parent in regulating the child's time. What happens? The child is closely checked at school, when often he should not be, but details are not easy to secure from a room full of pupils. Rather than be subjected to the scorn and other devices which the teacher uses to bring him to do his work he meets another pupil before class and copies his work or he says he has done what he has not done which is really the same thing. Morals are sacrificed and we are worse off as a community than ever. One thing would seem then to be evident. It is the duty and privilege of parents in moulding the lives of their children to exercise sufficient control over them to see that their home study is not allowed to "slide" while other things creep in to take their place.

HOCKEY

STETTLER AND LACOMBE
PLAY TO A 2-2 DRAW

The Stettler hockey fans were given the biggest hockey thriller of the season on Tuesday night when Lacombe played their first in the initial game of the Alberta Intermediate Playdowns. Dazzling hockey was played right from the bell, and in most of the play, the Lacombe Rangers out-dazzled the Stettler lineup. Although some beautiful combination play was seen, the who rushes were brilliant. Penman got both the counters for Lacombe, while Patrick did the honors for Stettler. Lacombe got their counter in the first frame and were leading Stettler up to the middle of the second period, when Stettler got their second counter. The score being tied, a hectic battle was witnessed right to the final bell.

Every one of our players turned in great games, and the battle they put up was creditable. We still say that with an even share of the breaks that the Lacombe Rangers will reach the top of the ladder. It was a different team in many ways that took the ice Tuesday for Lacombe and they certainly deserve a hand for their great work.

Stettler will be here tonight, and we will tell the world that there will be a real tussle. Both teams will be out to do their utmost, and as all things are equal, the game should be the best of the season.

It was sure a surprise and we might say a shock to many Stettler fans to have the score tied, in view of the fact that Stettler trimmed Red Deer so completely last week, and Red Deer in turn beat Lacombe 7 to 1, but to see the Lacombe boys play when they are playing would banish any doubt as to the superior team. Let's all go and see the game tonight.

AT THE AVALON

The Great Garbo of languishing loves, of exotic boudoirs, of passionate glamour—the Garbo we know so well on the silent screen, comes back to us with more power than ever in "Inspiration," her new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring vehicle.

"Inspiration," which opens at the Avalon Theatre tonight, this glittering new talking picture, ably directed by Clarence Brown, eclipses her previous vocal efforts, and, in the opinion of this reviewer, stands as the greatest triumph of her career. Hers is a human characterization, devoid of the slightest artificial ring, lifting the role of the Parisian demi-monde to the highest heights. COMEDY JANE GAYNOR in "Daddy Long Legs," Feb. 11, 12 and 13. RAMON NAVARRO in "Son of India," Feb. 18, 19 and 20.

MAJOR STRANGE
HERE MONDAY

Do not miss hearing Major Strange in the Town Hall, Lacombe, Monday evening, Feb. 8 at 8 p.m. Possibly never before have farmers and townspeople been confronted by so many difficulties.

Major Strange has had his full share of these problems and has made a wide study of world conditions. There is no better informed man in Canada on farming and financial questions. Major Strange is an original thinker and a very pleasing and brilliant speaker, and in an hour's talk he will give you more information than you would get in a whole winter's reading.

J. J. MALONEY
ROTTEN-EGGED
IN ALTA. TOWN

You can go to some of J. J. Maloney's lectures free, but it costs one dollar to throw rotten eggs at him. Yes, sir.

Maloney was attacked and became the centre of a barrage of eggs which had been better days, when giving a lecture at Chauvin, according to A.P.P. reports. The offence occurred on January 27th and cost some of the egg throwers a dollar fine for being such good marksmen. Ex-Cleric (Toe, Heel) Maloney is holding meetings in this part of Alberta just now. Verily the Coo Coo Klan is very hard up for speakers.

A. T. Inskip Takes
Over Management
Adelphi Hotel

The many friends of Mr. A. T. Inskip will be pleased to know that he is once again in charge of the Adelphi Hotel, he having taken over the management on Monday last, February 1st. Mr. Inskip who was the original owner of the Adelphi has for the past several years been living in England and only a short time ago returned to Lacombe. "Skip" assures all the old patrons of the Adelphi that they will get the very best service in every department of the house, and that the staff, which remains unchanged, is of the very best and will be sure of most courteous treatment. The personnel of the present staff is as follows: Mr. Jim Wilson, Day Clerk; Mr. Dan McLaughry, Night Clerk; Mr. Mike O'Leary, for the past eight months has been in charge of the office and who is well known to all patrons is now in charge of the

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Cereal "Wheat Tosties" 5 lb. bag 39c. Rice Natural Brown 4 lbs. 25c.

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ALL FOR 29c.

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beer room. The dining room, which is under the personal supervision of Mr. Inskip and which has a very capable staff will be a credit to the hotel and to the town. Mr. Inskip will be pleased to see any of his old patrons. You will be welcome at the Adelphi.

LINCOLN NEWS

Owing to the extreme cold but a small crowd turned out to the dance on January 29th. Thanks to our excellent janitor the hall was warm and comfortable so the bunch had a pleasant time. The ladies are expecting to arrange a leap year dance for Feb. 29th. The usual fortnightly dance will be held in the hall on Feb. 12th.

The Lacombe Potato Growers Association held their annual meeting in the Lincoln Hall on Thursday, 28th January. J. A. Bradley, W. L. Ingham, L. Oulton, Jas. Douglas, E. Miller, A. W. Sharp and B. A. Sawyer, were elected directors for 1932. J. A. Bradley is President, W. L. Ingham, Sec.-Treas. J. Hal D. Laird, Thos. Wilkes, and Wilbert Aylmer, by acclamation. One councillor is yet to be elected. The election for mayor will be held on Monday next.

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There will be a Bean Supper and Program in Iowalwa school on Monday, February 15. Come early—you can't stay in real old fashioned Boston Baked Beans. Stay late—Our program tells you how to manage your wives and other secrets worth knowing.

Miss Ruby Lord was a guest of Miss Morris last week. There will be a Winter Drive in the School on Friday, Feb. 5th. Hostesses—Mrs. C. B. Bielle, Mrs. P. L. Frizell.

CENTRAL RELIEF

The Central Relief Committee re-organized this winter early in October, and had a balance in hand from last winter of \$29.48. Donations since received are as follows:

Balance in Hand \$22.42
Nov. 7, Last We Forget Club 50.00
Oct. 14, Sale of Quilt 1.60
Oct. 27 Modern Woodmen 5.00
Jan. 2 From Christmas Cheer Fund 3.20

There has been \$64.48 expended, principally on Overalls, Hose and Underwear. A good amount of left-off clothing has been received and distributed as needed.

There is a small stock and W.I. have each donated quilts.

Several ladies have knitted mitts and stockings which have been appreciated.

As now both clothing and money are greatly depleted and the weather is very cold, donations are very much needed, which may be sent to the President, Mrs. Todd or to Mrs. Ritson, Secretary-Treasurer.

Remember the big dance on Friday night at Olive. Music by the Lacombe Star Orchestra. Come and have a good time.

Members of Lacombe Rebekah Lodge please take note: The meeting nights have been changed to the second and fourth Mondays of each month. The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 8th.

Executors' Public
Auction

Having received instructions from the Executor of Estate late Mrs. De-Geer I will sell at Public Auction at the residence on Glass St., Lacombe on

SATURDAY, FEB. 13th, 1932

at 2 p.m.
Following Household Goods, etc.:
Lounge; large rocker; centre table; large heater and pipes; China cabinet; arm chair; dining extension table; kitchen table; chairs; single bed, springs and mattress; 3/4 bed with springs and mattress; bureau; Commode; chiffonier; linoleum; Clothes Rack; Galv. water tank; washing machine; steel wheelbarrow; small heater; wash stand; quantity fruit secateurs; dishes; chicken wire; garden tools; scythe; hedge trimmers; carpenter's tools and other articles.
TERMS CASH NO RESERVE
C. F. DAMRON, Auctioneer
JESSE FRASER, Clerk.

Municipal Elections

Monday was nomination day in Lacombe, and resulted as follows: For Mayor, Edwin H. Jones, K.C.; Geo. W. Holton.

For Councillors: B. S. Cameron, Hal D. Laird, Thos. Wilkes, and Wilbert Aylmer, by acclamation. One councillor is yet to be elected.

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One Buckle Cashmerette
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Men's sizes 6 to 11 \$1.39
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40 lb. Sack \$1.15

WRAPPED BREAD
White's Red Deer
4 loaves 25c.

HONEY
12 ounce glass jar 22c.
20-ounce glass jar 33c.

ROBIN RAPID OATS
Chinaware
2 packages 49c.

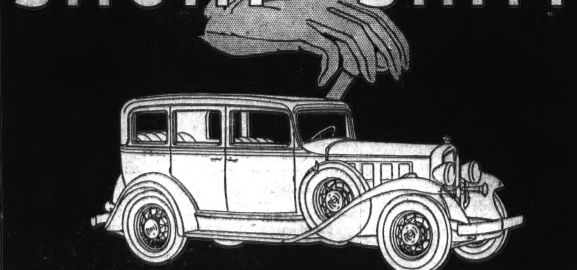
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A GENERAL MOTORS VALUE
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AT FACTORY OSHAWA
TAXES EXTRA

J. J. MALONEY NOW
IN CENTRAL ALBERTA

Well! Well! Well! J. J. Maloney still an "Ex-Cleric," (haw, haw, haw) of the Roman Catholic Church, has dared the rigors of an Alberta winter and will give some of his soul stirring talks in Central Alberta. This should have a tendency to warm up the weather, as he has a surplus supply of "hot air" to let loose, and while a bit early in the season, "auckers" may be "running" freely and we wish him fisherman's luck.

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The regular meeting of the W.I.

will be held Saturday, Feb. 6th at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J. Craiglen. Subject: "League of Nations." Mrs. Hunter. Current Events, Mrs. A. French. Hostesses, Mesdames R. Hoppus, A. French, J. Kanngieser, E. Hunter.

The Catholic Ladies Aid are holding their Annual Bridge party at the Adelphi Hotel on Monday evening, Feb. 8th. Admission 25c. Everybody cordially invited.

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GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, at Lacombe this 3rd day of February, A.D., 1932.

Lewis F. Minkler,
Returning Officer.

FARM WANTED TO BUY

Party wants quarter section in Lacombe District west, that can be purchased for \$10.00 per acre or thereabouts. Give full description in first letter. Address "Advertiser," in care of Western Globe, Lacombe.

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Fred Dobirstein
General Blacksmith
Railway St., Lacombe

WOOD WORKING
SPRING MAKING
ACETYLENE WELDING

We have a good deal of hardwood in stock, such as Poles, Redwood, Ashes, Elmores and other uses in connection with your farm machinery. Now that Spring will soon be here it is a good time to have your Spring work done so as to be ready to start work when Spring comes to take the rush.

We will be ready for your work this Spring, having another forge installed with two of the greatest fires going, and later in the Season we will have a lathe installed.

So don't forget the little shop around the corner, where you get the best work done at reasonable prices. We give A1 service.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Coyne L. Gifford—Pastor
Sunday Service
11:00—Sabbath School
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MIXTURE
The very first of this potent,
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PROVES IT!
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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The killing of six Communists, including two women, by Rumanian frontier guards, when they attempted to escape into Russia, aroused great feeling among the people.

Several leading Seattle hotels announced recently that Canadian money was being accepted on a par with American coin in payment of hotel bills.

Canon George Osborne Troop, one of the outstanding priests of the Church of England in Eastern Canada, died at his home in Halifax recently in his 78th year.

Dr. R. L. King, Prince Albert, was elected president of the Saskatchewan College of Physicians and Surgeons at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Council in Regina.

Scientific revision of the United States tariff to permit protective levies upon petroleum and its products will be sought in a new bill being prepared by independent oil producers. Specific details have not been worked out.

At a conference of representatives of all veteran organizations in Canada, held at Ottawa, it was decided the representations to be made to the government in connection with matters affecting ex-service men of this country will be presented by them as one body.

Twenty-nine persons were killed and 317 injured in railway accidents in Canada, during October. It was shown by a report of the Board of Railway Commissioners. Of the 232 separate accidents, 38 occurred at highway crossings, the majority involving an automobile.

Diploma For African Native

Her Apparent To Chiefdomship Of Tribe Graduate Of Chicago University

The heir-apparent to the chieftainship of a tribe of 25,000 African natives in Nyassaland was among 257 students of the University of Chicago who recently received diplomas and certificates from President Maynard Hutchins.

He is Kamuzu Banda, who ran away from his jungle home when he was 9, made his way to South Africa where he worked in a diamond mine earning enough money to come here. He made his way through college by compiling for the anthropology department a complete dictionary and grammar of his little-known tongue, and by jotting down folk tales.

Banda is 24. He said he planned to take up medicine and finally return to South Africa to help his people.

Britons For Canada

Suggestion Made That Dominions Absorb Surplus Population Of United Kingdom

The London Morning Post, in an editorial suggests the Dominions repay Great Britain for preferential tariffs favoring their products by offering to absorb the surplus population of the United Kingdom.

The newspaper expressed the hope that arrangements for an exchange of produce for men might be worked out at the forthcoming imperial conference at Ottawa.

Helen Keller's View

There was something both touching and beautiful in blind Helen Keller's comment on being taken to the top of the Empire State Building in New York: "I wonder if the view you see is more beautiful than mine. You see what you see, but I have my imagination to draw upon."—Toronto Globe.

The world's oldest book is said to be a recently discovered text in China. It consists of 78 wooden leaves, fixed together with string, and dates back to 100 B.C.

In the Buenos Aires telephone book the Gonzales family requires five pages while the Fernandez family comes next with four and a half pages.

Famous Vegetable Pills Make Short Work of Indigestion

"After the first dose I was made aware of their very real tonic value," writes Miss M. "I was troubled with indigestion and Sick Headache." Because they are PURELY VEGETABLE, a gentle, effective tonic to both liver and bowels. Dr. Carter's Little Liver Pills are without equal for correcting Constipation, Acidity, Bileousness, Headaches, and Poor Complexion. 25c. and 70c. red packages. Sold everywhere. Always ask for Sold BY NAME.

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Canada Grain Exports

Greatest Percentage Of Empire Wheat Sold On World Market Supplied By Canada

Canada exports about 78 per cent. of all the wheat sold in the world market each year by the British Empire. It is computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Similarly, Australia exports 19.4 per cent. and British India 2.2 per cent.

In a report dealing with wheat statistics, the bureau places the average annual consumption of wheat in Great Britain at 244,339,000 bushels. Of this total, home production accounts for 46,261,000 bushels, leaving the balance imported. Canada's average export is 257,863,000 bushels—13,524,000 bushels in excess of Great Britain's annual consumption—Australia's export, 46,176,000 bushels, British India, 7,510,000 bushels, and other Empire countries, 563,000 bushels.

Included in the report are figures showing the Dominions export about three times the total of wheat flour imported annually by Great Britain. The average consumption in Great Britain is placed at 5,874,000 barrels, while the average export by Canada is 9,509,000 barrels, Australia 5,110,000 barrels and British India 629,000 barrels.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

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By Annetto



YOUR NEW SLIP TAKES ON NEW LINES

Here's a stunning costume slip that Paris has designed along the lines of the new frock. The interesting cut of the moulded bodice extending into a deep point at the front, proves a particularly slenderizing feature and gives lengthening line. The skirt being circular, also so gracefully beneath the similar circular flaring hemline of the frock. The hem of the slip may be rolled by hand, which gives it a French finish or it may be finished professionally with pick-stitch. Lace edging provides a dainty trim which may also trim the upper edge of the bodice.

It can easily be made in a hour or possibly two. And the cost will prove surprisingly small. Style No. 228 may be had in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100. Size 16 requires 2 1/2 yards of 36-inch material with 3/4 yard of edging. Crepe de chine and flat crepe silk are popularly used for the excellent service they give.

Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

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Name ---

Town ---

Made Unique Claim

First Newspaperman To Use Type-writer Dies At Seattle

Joahid D. Choate, a newspaperman most of his life, and for 20 years with the New York World, died recently at his home in Seattle, after a heart attack.

He laid claim to being one of the first newspapermen to use a type-writer, taking one to his desk in the world office in 1889, and learning to manipulate it in his spare time.

French parents must select their children's names from an official list according to a decree which went into effect during the Napoleonic era.

The Empire State Building of New York City, tallest structure in the world, has two stories below ground.

Recurrence Of Drought Periods

Practical Research Will Assist In Acquiring Better Knowledge Of Climatic Conditions

The Hon. J. F. Bryant, K.C., chairman of the Saskatchewan Commission on Conservation of Water and Afforestation, issued the following statement to the press today.

Believing that a mistake had been made in the past in Saskatchewan and Western Canada in that no systematic or practical research had been carried on in the matter of climate and weather conditions, particularly when the farmers who are the backbone of the Province have suffered so much as a result of drought, frost and flood, and when through the lack of practical knowledge on the subject, on account of drought conditions during the past few years, a large fertile area of southern Saskatchewan has been badly injured by the blowing of the soil, the Commission on Conservation appointed a sub-committee to study weather conditions, climate, rainfall and water supply in their relationship to all external causes and effects operating in the drought areas of the Province and surrounding territory.

The committee consists of Hon. J. F. Bryant, Dr. T. A. Patrick and Dr. W. D. Cowan. The committee have been busy engaged for over two months in reading carefully the latest authorities on the subject, and in order to get the very latest information with particular reference to Saskatchewan conditions, have written to some of the world's greatest authorities on the subject, including C. E. P. Brooks, Honorary Secretary of the Royal Meteorological Society, London, England, Ellsworth Huntington, Dr. Andrew E. Douglass of the University of Arizona, the Carnegie Institute of Washington, the Smithsonian Institution of Washington, and A. J. Connor, Climatologist for Canada. We have written to the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States and of the States of Montana and North Dakota, inquiring whether they have made any investigation of the subject and requesting that they join with us in the matter of research, so that we can share in the results obtained, and take united action to combat conditions if deemed advisable.

Mr. P. B. Clements in a very able work on "Plant Indicators" makes certain observations on conditions in the western United States which are equally applicable to conditions in Saskatchewan.

"A study of settlement in the West since 1865 reveals the fact that it corresponds more or less closely to the climatic cycle. The exceptions are afforded by the rapid influx after the homestead act, the Kinkaid Act, etc., or after the opening of new regions. The general movement of settlers has advanced and receded in almost perfect agreement with the wet phases and drought periods of the climatic cycle (of Brueckner, Huntington, 1914: 89). A few years of unusual rainfall have afforded unscrupulous real-estate dealers and immigration commissioners an opportunity to dispose of even the most worthless land. The ensuing drought period then led to crop failure and the wholesale abandonment of the region, to be followed by another influx of settlers during the next wet phase. In more than one region of the West this process has been repeated three or four times, and its disastrous operation will continue until the States and the National Government recognize the necessity of proper land classification and of adequate regulation of settlement.

"The knowledge that drought periods will recur is indispensable to any accurate and successful classification of land and to the economic management of dry-farm, grazing range, or forest. These results, which are of the first importance for the west, do not depend necessarily upon the accuracy of predictions based upon the sun-spot cycle. They are clearly in-

fluenced by the actual experience of the last 60 years, which not only confirms the recurrence of drought periods, but also suggests the interval. However, it is clear that it would be of the greatest value to be able to forecast the date, duration, and intensity of each drought period with some accuracy, as well as to anticipate the increasing rainfall of the wet phase. This would not only permit the taking of the necessary precautions against the disasters due to drought, but it would also make possible the development of an optimum system of management. This would enable the farmer to fit his crops and methods of tillage to the variations in rainfall and would permit the stockman to increase or decrease his herds or to vary his supplies of forage with the wet and dry phases of the cycle. In short, the climatic management of all the basic practices of the West would provide the maximum insurance against loss or disaster and would afford the greatest possible annual return."

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

COFFEE CAKE

- 1 cup sugar.
- 1 cup raisins.
- 1/2 cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup.
- 2 eggs.
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon.
- 2 cups flour.
- 1/2 cup Maltol.
- 1/2 cup strong coffee.
- 1 teaspoon soda.
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg.

Beat eggs and sugar until very light, then add the syrup and stir in the flour sifted with the other dry ingredients and mixed with the cleaned and dried raisins. Then add the Maltol and bake in a rather quick oven until the cake leaves the sides of the pan.

DELICIOUS CREAM COOKIES

- 1 cup Maltol.
- 4 beaten eggs.
- 1 cup nut meats.
- 1/2 cup strong coffee.
- 1/2 cup strong raisins.
- 1 teaspoon vanilla.
- 4 cups flour.
- 2 cups brown sugar.
- 3/4 cup sweet cream.
- 1/2 cup Crown Brand Corn Syrup.
- 1/2 cup strong Essence.
- 1 teaspoon salt.
- 1/2 cup Benson's Corn Starch.
- 4 teaspoons baking powder.

Cream the Maltol with the sugar and then add the eggs and beat until light. Mix the cream with the corn syrup and add to the mixture alternately with the dry ingredients sifted together and mixed with the nuts and raisins. Flavour and drop by spoonfuls on buttered baking pans and cook in moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit).

Ontario Cigarettes

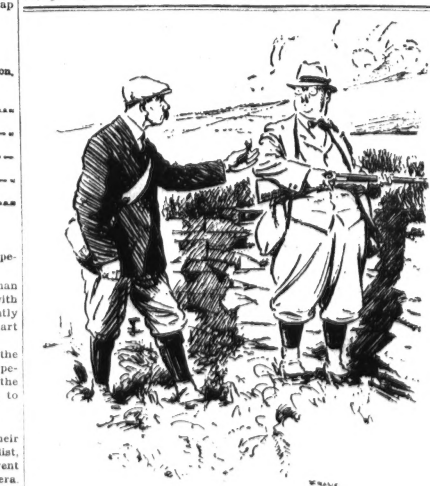
Eastern Product To Be Launched On The British Market

Ontario cigarettes are to be launched on the British market. A Canadian pipe tobacco was successfully marketed last summer, the first time a British company has brought out Canadian tobacco and marketed it as such.

The Ontario product has been imported into the old country for some years, but never specially advertised. The slightly higher price is offset by the preference given by the British Government to Canadian tobacco over that grown in the United States, with the result that the manufactured article is sold at three or four cents under the price of the American brands.

Errors in judgment are responsible for at least half the flying accidents, says a British expert on aviation insurance.

London, Eng.—A world platinum accord to promote and control sale of this metal has been reached.



GUEST (pitifully, to novice who has at long last succeeded in blowing the tail feathers off a bird): "Better stick 'em in your hat, in case you don't get anything else."—The London Opinion, London, England

VISITING PRINCE TRIES CANADIAN SNOW

St. Marguerite, Que., saw many interesting visitors over the years and, when the 31st of December, 1924, rolled around, the Prince Consort, who was visiting the famous resort on the St. Lawrence River, had the opportunity of trying Canadian snow. The Prince Consort, who was visiting the famous resort on the St. Lawrence River, had the opportunity of trying Canadian snow. The Prince Consort, who was visiting the famous resort on the St. Lawrence River, had the opportunity of trying Canadian snow.

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Soviet Trade Plan

Interest Is Aroused Over Offer To Exchange Coal For Aluminum

The Montreal Star says: "Widespread interest has been aroused by the news that negotiations are in progress, which, if successful, would mean the exporting of roughly \$5,000,000 worth of Canadian aluminum and aluminum products to Russia and the receipt of \$2,000,000 worth of Soviet coal in part return."

"In Ottawa, where the matter was first mooted before Christmas, the proposal was felt to impinge upon interests likely to be pressed in the forthcoming Imperial Conference, as well as upon Canadian interests. It was understood in Ottawa that increased employment in Canada was one of the chief inducements offered in the coal-for-aluminum proposal, and the number of added employees promised was placed at around 1,250."

It also indicated that Russia can take no less than 60 per cent. of Canada's entire aluminum output in a normal year when the plants are operating at 100 per cent. Inquiry in Montreal reveals that Canadian coal interests would not be as much affected as North British, by the threat of Russian competition, if at all. But in view that Britain is likely to seek preferred position for her anthracite in the Canadian market, it is extremely unlikely that Canada would do anything to prejudice the position of Welsh and British coal here."

A Reason For Tourists

Tourist Revenue In 1931 Amounts To Two Hundred Million Dollars

Canada enters 1932 with the prospect of a good tourist year. Her dollar is at a ten per cent. discount with United States money. That means a big inducement to tourists to spend their money in Canada.

1. To United States tourists to come here. While the Canadian dollar stays at that discount, every Canadian who goes to the United States must spend \$100 to get \$90 worth of pleasure in return. But the American tourist can come here and get \$110 worth of pleasure for \$100.

Canada in 1930 collected \$300,000,000 in tourist revenue. In 1931 that revenue has fallen to \$290,000,000. Canada can put it back to \$300,000,000 and more besides if she capitalizes on the double appeal of Canada's natural attractions and Canada's currency discount.

Associated Publishing Bureau has accepted the Dominion Government to promote tourist traffic with a million-dollar advertising campaign. No better investment is in sight than a million dollars spent to attract one hundred millions—and that is what a co-ordinated campaign can accomplish if it is done right.—Vancouver Sun.

True Leadership

A France whose policy is dictated by fear will never be a leader, however stored her coffers may be with gold. Fear does not make leaders either of men or nations. Either France will set aside her fears and become as courageous in the cause of peace as history proclaims she has been in that of war, she may yet, at a critical moment in the world's history, assume true leadership in a distracted world.—Christian Science Monitor.

Jeilco Resigns From Legion Office

Earl Jeilco, famous admiral, is retiring from the presidency of the British Legion on account of ill-health. He has occupied the post for three years. Earl Jeilco visited Canada last autumn and was ill on his return, being confined to his home on the Isle of Wight for some weeks. He remains grand president of the British Empire Service League.

Mistress: Was your last place a good one, Jane?

Maid (after deliberation): Well, ma'am, I used not to think so!

Artificial gold, an alloy of platinum and copper, has been tested successfully in Sheffield, England.

Snowden's Advice

Gives Advice To Young Men From His Own Experience

There are few careers in the world today more full of inspiration for youth than that of the man now styled Viscount Snowden, but better known throughout the English-speaking world as Philip Snowden, Labor leader and former Chancellor of the British Exchequer. The new Viscount, as has been the case with so many English statesmen, has, in his time, done much writing and on the occasion of his election to the peerage, English papers have recalled certain interesting reflections made in earlier days. In one of these, Mr. Snowden uttered words of advice to young men that have much pertinence in these present days of difficulty. They are:

"If I may venture in a few sentences to summarize from my own experience... the advice I would give to the young men of today, who want to make the best of themselves and to gain the greatest benefit from life; it would be to discipline one's self to industry; to make one's self thoroughly master of the trade or profession by which a livelihood is earned; to develop a critical faculty; so that the truth may be sifted from the false in controversy, and from the designs of the plausible demagogue thereby defeated; to read good books; to have some interest outside the daily occupation; to take an interest in public questions; which is a duty every citizen should fulfill; to live a clean life and take healthy exercise, and above all, to realize that it is character, and not wealth or worldly position, which entitles a man to be worthy of respect, and which gives true happiness and satisfaction."—Regina Leader.

The Dominant Nickel

More Five-Cent Coins Issued At Ottawa Mint Than Any Other Denomination

The great Canadian nickel continues to dominate the operations of the mint. The annual figures issued by the new Canadian Government Department mean anything. In the year just closed no fewer than 5,620,000 coins of the five-cent denomination were delivered from the mint. The number exceeded even that of the pennies, of which a paltry 5,140,000 were issued; while dimes were a poor third, only 2,294,000 being minted in 1931.

The aristocrat of the silver coin—the 50-cent piece—appears to have little chance in this time of depression, for only 68,000 were issued last year. The humble, but nevertheless-displaced "two-bit," or 20-cent piece, valued at 25 cents each, in all, the Royal Canadian Mint struck 11,615,000 pieces in 1931, and issued 13,970,000.

The gross value of rough and fine gold and fine silver received by the mint last year, was \$35,638,176. Deliveries from that institution to the Department of Finance had a value of \$35,375,551. Trade bars sold were valued at \$545,541.

The mint, last year, did not coin any \$10 or \$5 gold pieces.

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A party of American tourists, including several women, has arrived at Moscow after visiting Merv, the oasis on the edge of the Kara-Kum Desert, the traditional site of the Garden of Eden and the cradle of the Aryan race. This remote region was formerly reached by caravan, but is now reached by modern tourist railroad trains. It is a region of great natural beauty with rich vegetation and a profusion of animal life.

Sign Of Early Spring

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Honey kept in a refrigerator tends to grow into a more dry storage piece is more satisfactory.

"Life a Misery" From Headaches

Thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills (Tonic) and a mother's advice she is well again.

"Headaches nearly drove me frantic," writes Mrs. J. F. Archibold, Ingersoll. "The pain would be so severe that my eyes would swell shut. Life was a misery. 'Finally my mother saw where Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had helped someone. I bought a box and made me take them. I was so sick of doing. I had no faith, but thanks to mother's persistence and the pills I am here and well today.'"

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Russian Wheat Yields

Soviets Plan Large Increase In Acreage For 1932

Russia plans to sow 348,000,000 acres to crops for harvest next fall—8,000,000 more than last year. This was reported by the United States agriculture department which also said the 1931 wheat crop of Russia, the world's largest producer, "may definitely be considered a poor one."

The 1932 plan for the spring sown area calls for 252,000,000 acres compared with 241,000,000 planted last spring. The largest increase in this area, however, will be in industrial crops, such as cotton and flax, with the spring wheat acreage remaining practically the same. Spring wheat is the most important.

"A further significant fact in the situation," the department's Berlin observer reported, "is the announcement by the Soviet authorities that they intend to concentrate on quality rather than quantity."

Summing up the 1931 wheat harvest, he added: "Although yields of winter wheat were fairly satisfactory, much of the spring acreage failed to make a crop, principally because of a dry July. As a result, exports have been curtailed. Sowings of winter grain last fall did not equal plans, and are below average sown the preceding year. Wheat procurements from collectives are also below announced plans due to interference from peasants."

Heavy Tax Payment

Response To Appeal Is Great Help To British Exchequer

British citizens paid £21,353,000 in income tax between January 1 and January 9. It was announced that £49,500,000 more than was paid between January 1, and January 10 last year.

The increase was attributed to the provision in the last budget that the tax for three quarters of the year should fall due on January 1. The year. It was also ascribed in part to a response to the appeal of Viscount Snowden, former Chancellor of the Exchequer, for prompt payment to help the nation in its financial difficulties.

Huge Sum For Relief

Government and municipalities of Ontario apportion \$15,738,000 on unemployment relief in 1930 and 1931. Hon. George S. Henry, provincial premier, told a Toronto service club recently. A total of 43,000 persons had been given employment, he said.

Radio telephone service has been established between Germany and Siam and a similar service is being planned between Germany and Egypt.

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CHAPTER XI

"The Sins Of The Fathers—"

A few days later, Jean, coming in from a long tramp across country in company with Nick and a half a dozen dogs of various breeds, discovered Tormarin lounging in a chair by the fire. He was in riding kit, having just returned from visiting an outlying corner of the estates where his half-brother had suggested that a new plantation might be made, and Jean eyed his long spindly figure with secret approval. Like most well-bred Englishmen, he looked his best in kit that demanded the donning of breeches and leggings.

A fine rain was falling out of doors, and beads of moisture clung to Jean's clothes and sparkled in the blown tendrils of russet hair which had escaped from beneath the little turban hat she was wearing. Apparently, however, her appearance did not rouse Tormarin to any reciprocal appreciation, for, after bestowing the briefest of glances upon her as she entered, he averted his eyes, concentrating his attention upon the misty ribbons of smoke that drifted upwards from his cigarette.

Jean knelt down on the hearth, and, pulling off her rain-soaked gloves, held out her hands to the fire's cheerful blaze.

"It's good-bye to all the skating, I'm afraid," she said regretfully. "Nick says we're not likely to have another hard frost like the last, now that the weather has broken so completely."

"No. It's April next month—supposedly springtime, you know," returned Tormarin indifferently. He seemed disinclined to talk, and Jean eyed him contemplatively. His attitude towards her baffled her as much as ever. He was unfavourably courteous and considerate, but he remained, nevertheless, unmistakably aloof, avoiding her whenever it was possible, and when it was not, treating her with a cool neutrality of manner that was as complete a contrast to his demeanour when they were together at Montavan as could well be imagined. Indeed, sometime Jean almost wondered if the events of that day, they spent amid the snows had really taken place—they seemed so far away, so entirely unrelated to her present life, notwithstanding the fact that she was in daily contact with the man who had shared them with her.

"It was rather uncomplimentary of you not to come skating with us a

solitary once," she remarked at last, in a moment of approach to her voice. "Was my performance on the rink at Montavan so execrable that you felt you couldn't risk it again?"

He looked up, his glance meeting hers levelly. "You've phrased it excellently," he replied briefly. "I felt I couldn't risk it."

A sudden flush mounted to Jean's face. There was no misunderstanding the significance that underlay the curt words, which, as she was vibrantly aware, bore no relation whatever to her skill, or absence of it, on the ice.

Bianca made no endeavour to relieve the awkward silence that ensued. Instead, his eyes rested upon her with a somewhat quizzical expression, as though he were rather entertained than otherwise by her evident confusion. Jean felt her indignation rising.

"It is fortunate that other people are not so nervous," she said disdainfully. "Otherwise I should find myself as isolated as a fever hospital."

"It is fortunate indeed," he agreed politely.

In the course of the three weeks which had elapsed since her arrival at Staple, Jean had dared several similar passages-at-arms with her host. Woman-like, she was bent on getting behind his guard of reticence, on forcing him into an explanation of his altered attitude towards her—since, as she would claim to be expected to endure that a man should completely change from ill-suppressed ardour to a cool, impersonal detachment of manner, without availing to know the reason why! But in every instance Tormarin had carried off the posturing with a nonchalance, and there was a quite unexpected fascination about her smile—unexpected, because, when in repose, her thin lips lay folded together in a straight and somewhat forbidding line, whereas the moment they relaxed into a smile they assumed the most delightful curves, and two little lines, which should have been dimples but were not, cleft each cheek on either side of the mouth.

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"Have I seen you anywhere before?" she asked, her charming smile softening the abruptness of the question. "Your face is so extraordinarily familiar."

Jean shook her head.

"I don't think so," she answered. "I'm sure I should remember you if we met anywhere. Besides I've lived abroad all my life; this is only my first visit to England."

"I think I can explain," said Lady Anne. There was a deliberateness about her manner that suggested she was about to make a statement which she was aware would be of some special interest to at least one of the party. "Jean is Glyn Peterson's daughter; so of course you see a likeness, Judith."

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"Jean, let me introduce you to Mrs. Craig. My new acquisition, Judith," she went on contentedly. "A daughter, I always told you I wanted one. Now I've borrowed someone's child."

Jean found herself shaking hands with a slender distinctive-looking woman who moved with a slow languorous grace that was almost snake-like in its peculiar suppleness. She gave one the impression that she had no bones in her body, or that if she had, they had never hardened properly but

still retained the pliability of cartilage.

She was somewhat sallow—due, the consequence, it transpired later, of long residence in India—with sullen, slate coloured eyes, appearing almost purple in shadow, and a straight, thin-tipped mouth. Jean decided that she was not in the time between, though attractive in an odd, feline way, and that she must be about thirty-two. As a matter of fact, Judith Craig was forty, but no one would have guessed it—and she would certainly not have confessed it.

Presently Nick, who had been personally supervising the feeding of his beloved dogs, joined the party, greeting Mrs. Craig with the easy informality of an old friend, and shortly afterwards Bianca brought in the tea-things.

"And where's Burke?" enquired Bianca of Mrs. Craig, as she handed her tea. "Didn't he come back with you?"

"Geoffrey? Oh, no. He's not coming down till the end of April. You know he detests Willow Ferry in the winter—'sooty wet swamp,' he calls it! He's dividing his time between London and Leicestershire—London, while that long frost stopped all hunting."

Mrs. Craig was evidently on a footing of long-established intimacy with the Staple household, and Jean, listening quietly to the passing news and of little personal happenings, regarded her with rather critical interest. She was not altogether sure that she liked her, but she was quite sure that, wherever her lot might be cast, Judith Craig would never occupy the position of a non-entity. She had considerable charm of manner, and there was a quite unexpected fascination about her smile—unexpected, because, when in repose, her thin lips lay folded together in a straight and somewhat forbidding line, whereas the moment they relaxed into a smile they assumed the most delightful curves, and two little lines, which should have been dimples but were not, cleft each cheek on either side of the mouth.

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Incident Of Laura Secord

Explanation Of Omission Of Narrative From Ontario Text Books

Omission of the story of Laura Secord from Ontario public and high school history and text books is the subject of a statement issued by Hon. Georges Henry, Premier of the Province and Minister of Education, in which he declares criticism is probably due to insufficient acquaintance with the facts.

"In the first place let me emphasize there is no intention of disparaging this incident of the tramp of Laura Secord from Queenstown to Beaver Dams, and in the proposed revision of the third reader the officers of the department are suggesting that the story of Laura Secord be included," he says.

"The authorized text books, both public and high school, in Canadian history purposely emphasize parts of history other than that in which Canada has engaged. For this reason the War of 1812-15 has been touched upon lightly, and many stories of brave deeds have necessarily been omitted," the Premier declares. "Omission of the Laura Secord episode from the new history compiled by Professor W. S. Wallace, librarian of the University of Toronto, brought the matter into prominence."

THE RHYMING
OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaels

LEGEND

Was she as beautiful, as glowing
As men have said,
Was she so fair that her going
Life's glamour fled?

Cast she, in truth, enchantment's
magic
On those she met,
Till all their past, though glad or
tragic
They would forget?

Was she so lovely sunlight darkened
When she drew near,
With voice so sweet the linnets
hearkened,
Grew still, to hear?

Ah, could she break fond hearts
aunder
At her little will,
Or was she part of youth's own wonder
Men cherish still?

Vancouver's Population

Vancouver has a population of 246,593. The revised figures are based on the census of last year. In the census of 1921 the population covering the same area and including South Vancouver and Point Grey was 163,220.

Douglas fir trees, estimated to be fully 900 years old, are still to be found on Vancouver Island.

Helen Willis Moody is generally recognized as queen of the tennis world.

Helen Madison is queen of the swimmers. She holds more world records than any other swimmer.

Helen Hicks is queen of United States golfers at least. She may not be the best in the world but she's not far from it.

Decorated By Pope

Premier Mussolini Presented With Order Of The Golden Spur

Premier Benito Mussolini has received his first papal decoration, the Order of the Golden Spur, possessed by only nine other persons.

The decoration was presented to the premier at the Hotel Venezia by Papal Nuncio Borgognini Duca. The Nuncio afterward called on Foreign Minister Dino Grandi and presented him with the Grand Cross of the Order of Pius IX, which was also given to Ambassador Cesare Rossi de Vecchi, Italian envoy to the Holy See.

Billion Dollar Industry

Figures just released by the Federal Dairy and Cold Storage Branch show that since 1888 a total of 7,485,936 pounds of cheese have been made in Canada, having a wholesale evaluation of \$1,014,845,638.

Clouds are squeezed almost dry of their moisture as they rise, each 1,000 feet of altitude, increasing the annual rainfall at a rate of slightly more than six inches.

Damaged Bank Notes

Average Life Of One and Two Dollar Bills Is About Ten Months

Oil and grease may help the cause, but they are hard on Dominion notes. The life of the average one or two dollar bill is from nine to ten months, according to finance department officials. In a year the department replaces about twenty-four million ones and eight and a half million twos.

The development of motoring has shortened the period during which a bill is fit to remain in circulation. Oil and grease from the gloves or hands of service station attendants is transferred to the bills when making their rounds. The result is gradual rotting of the papers. Then the note finds its way back to the finance department for redemption.

A dirty note is redeemed at its full value, but the redemption of a torn note is subject to regulation, according to the department. More than three-fifths of the note is worth full value, and the department is prepared to redeem it, but if the part presented is between two and three-fifths, only one half of the face value is paid. If a note remnant is less than two-fifths, the holder of the fragment is "out of luck." It will not be redeemed.

This is not an absolute rule, however. The Dominion does not wish to profit by the transaction, and the owner of a note remnant may obtain full value upon presentation of a statutory declaration setting out the circumstances of the case and establishing the fact that the missing portions of the note have been destroyed. The cost of replacing Dominion notes runs well over half a million dollars a year.

Rapid Air Travel

From Paris To New York In Six Hours Is Now Predicted

Air speeds of 500 miles an hour, cutting the time between New York and Paris to six hours, were predicted to be within the bounds of possibility by Henry Farman, aviation pioneer, work on whose stratosphere "plane" is now progressing at Billancourt, France.

It will be two months still before the "mystery ship" is completed and its recent tests at gradually increasing altitudes are finished. Farman said it is necessary to guard against "fantastic dreams," but he thought 500 miles an hour at a height of 45,000 and 60,000 feet is theoretically possible, depending upon conditions in the stratosphere, which, he said, must be still further explored.

Athletes and Heart Trouble

No Such Thing As "Athlete's Heart," Says University Professor

"Athlete's heart" is non-existent so far as two University of Wisconsin professors have been able to determine. Coaches have long guarded against overworking athletes in the belief that too strenuous competition resulted in enlarged hearts and a consequent loss to efficiency. Experiments at Madison have shown no evidence of hypertrophy in athletes. Dr. Walter J. Meek and Prof. J. A. E. Byrter, professors of physiology made observations on 83 men and 84 women at the university. All had indulged in four years of high school athletics and at least two years of college athletics.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Expeller, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

Good-Will Trade Cruise

Canadian Vessel, Loaded With Dominion Products, Leaves For Bahamas

Laden to capacity with Canadian products and carrying 75 passengers, representative of government and business, the S.S. New Northland sailed from Halifax recently on her two months' goodwill trade cruise to the West Indies, Cuba and the Bahamas.

Along the old trade route from Halifax to Bermuda, where sturdy little vessels from the maritime provinces long acted as the only link of commerce between Canada and the British Crown in that part of the world, the Canadian exhibition trade ship set out on a new enterprise intended to draw these two parts of the empire still more closely together.

The booth space of the vessel was well filled out with about fifty exhibits of varying sizes from ladies' slippers to an automobile.

Heavy Payments

The Government considers it highly desirable that the exchange situation be corrected—the value of the Canadian dollar in New York City—Canadian public obligations in New York City this year amount to about \$1,000,000 a day, some \$60 millions in all. It is not the intention of Ottawa, if it can be avoided, that anything like a 20 per cent. premium shall have to be paid on these obligations.

"So you're married! Did you have a honeymoon, Malinda?" "Ah, suppose you might call it that, ma'am—Ephraim does helped me to do washin' de first week."

A Remarkable Century

Grand Old Man Of Woodstock Says Depression Is Only Artificial

In his annual birthday message to his fellow citizens, appearing in the Sentinel Review, Rev. Dr. W. T. McMullen, Woodstock's "Grand Old Man," who recently celebrated his 101st birthday anniversary, says in part:

"The century through which I have lived is the most remarkable in all history with the exception of the first century. The incarnation, ministry and finished work of the Saviour makes the first century the greatest of all centuries, but in point of inventions, progress and general improvement the last hundred years has no parallel. When King William IV. filled the throne of Britain, when I was born, there was not a railroad in England, Scotland or Ireland. There were no steamships sailing the ocean. There were no telegraphs or telephones, no electric lighting. The postage on a letter from Canada to Britain was 25 cents.

"The present generation do not know their comforts and privileges, and yet we are passing through a time of depression. But it is purely artificial. The countless blessings Providence have filled to overflowing our storehouses and elevators. But the works of men have blocked the channels of trade with high tariffs, and glutted the markets with overproduction. Conditions will right themselves in due course."

Little Helps For This Week

"If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me."—Luke ix. 23.

Miss is a daily cross of petty cares. Of little duties pressing on my heart. Of little troubles hard to reconcile. Of inward troubles overcome in part.

I dare not lay it down; I only ask That, taking up my daily cross, I may Follow My Master, humbly, step by step. Through clouds and darkness, unto perfect day.

Christ comes to us morning by morning to present to us for the day then opening divers little crosses, thwartings of our own will, interferences with our plans, disappointments of our little pleasures. Do we kiss them, and take them up and follow in His rear, like Simon the Cyrenian, or do we toss them from us scornfully because they are so little, and wait for some great affliction to approve our patience and resignation to His will? Despair not little crosses for when taken up and lovingly accepted at the Lord's hand, they have made men meet for a crown, even the crown of righteousness and life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love Him.—Edward Meyerick Gouldburn.

Thousands Of Bees Work In A Full Force Colony

Total Hive Force In One Case Estimated At 55,625 Bees

One of the most interesting of the studies in apiculture carried out under the direction of C. B. Goodenough, Dominion Apiarist, relates to the number of "bees" or bees in a colony in the field at work gathering honey and nectar during the period of a heavy flow. On the basis of 5,000 bees to a pound it has been determined by recording the weights of colonies resting on weighing trays, that as many as twenty to twenty-two thousand bees from one colony are working in the field at one time. In one case the total hive force was computed at 55,625 bees with 20,625 in the field, leaving a hive force of 35,000. In another case where the total colony numbered 36,350 it was found that 27,187 were flying abroad with a reserve hive force of 29,063.

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Empire Trade

Canada's Trade Is Now Mainly Within the Empire

Canada's trade during the past year has been empireward it is shown by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Imports to this country from the British Empire increased from 22.5 per cent. 77.5 per cent. to 75.9 per cent. from foreign countries. The United States decline was from 64.9 per cent. to 62.8 per cent. Exports showed a similar trend during the year. Canada's exports to Empire countries increased from 35.8 per cent. to 36.2 per cent. Exports to foreign countries declined from 64.2 per cent. to 63.8 per cent.

A primitive tribe of savages in Korea is said to marry by merely shaking hands.

Showing a man that he's wrong won't stop the argument. It will only make him more angry.

Try Miss McFarlane's Favorite Recipe for BISCUITS

15 teaspoon salt
1 cup butter
1 1/2 cups flour
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup shortening

1/2 cup butter, baking powder and salt. Cut in the chilled shortening. Now add the chilled liquid to make soft dough. Then dough onto a floured board and roll hands into a round about 1/2 inch thick. Cut out with a floured biscuit cutter. Place on slightly greased pan or baking sheet and bake in hot oven at 450° F. 15 to 20 minutes.

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Newspaper For the Blind

Blind Student Of Journalism Proposes To Start Braille Newspaper

Because he believes blindness should not thwart ambition, Bernard Krebe, 20-year-old blind student of journalism, plans to find a braille newspaper for the blind and as soon as he has finished school.

It will probably be in St. Louis, he says, or perhaps Chicago. He expects friends of the blind to subsidize the venture.

The staff will be composed chiefly of blind people.

Yellow Peril Again

A Japanese sea force growing more rapidly than either the United States or British navies was cited by Chairman Hale of the U.S. Senate Naval Committee as a reason for building the United States fleet up to treaty limits.

Mother (when strange noises proceed from Bobby's room): "What are you doing?" Bobby: "Nothing." Mother: Well, whatever it is you're not doing, stop whatever it is."

Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



She's all worn out again

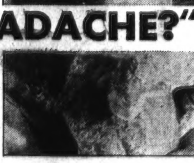
Poor girl... she has the same old headache... backache... and blues. She ought to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in tablet form.

W. N. O. 1920

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It is not necessary to give-in to headaches. It is just a bit old-fashioned! The modern woman who feels a headache coming on at any time, takes some tablets of Aspirin and heads it off.

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Plain and fancy serims in white and ivory. New nets and laces; frilled curtain muslin in white and colors. Special at 25c. yard up.

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LARD	COARSE SALT
1 lb. Cartons, each 9c.	50 lb. bags Each 70c.
BALMON	SWIFTS SLICED BACON
Fancy Pink, tall tin 11c.	3 pkts. for 25c.
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Quart Sealers, each 29c.	Roma Beauties, per box 1.75
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Wool tweeds and cotton mixtures.

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Heavy weight quality, fleece lined.

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Sizes 28 to 34. **95c. each**

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14 quart Galvanized Pails, each	35c.
No. 2 Galvanized Tubs, each	\$1.10
Galvanized Boilers, each	\$1.25
No. 90 N.P. Tea Kettles, each	\$2.50
No. 80 N.P. Tea Kettles, each	\$2.25
14 quart tin Dairy Pails	60c.
16 quart tin Dairy Pails	75c.
Steel Service Wagon	\$6.50
8 x 30 Boy's Wagon	\$5.25

PHONES

241 Dry Goods Department.
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BURNS CONCERT AT SPRUCEVILLE

The Burns' Supper and concert at Spruceville on Monday night was a great success, in point of attendance, and in quality of program. James Darroch acted as Chairman. Mr. John Wilson, Delbourne, led the way with the pipes as Mrs. John Laing, Blackfalds, carried the Haggis, in time honored custom. Mr. Wilson's other selections on the Pipes were enjoyed. The musical program followed the supper. Those taking part were, Mrs. Thos. Wilkes, Mr. George Ramsey, Mr. J. N. B. MacDonald, Miss Kathleen Walters, Miss Edith Sims, Mr. Duncan Cameron, Mrs. Alice Graham, Mrs. John Russell, Mrs. John Turnbull, and the Orchestra. Mr. Wm. Chesser recited Burns' inimitable address to the Haggis. Inspector A. R. Gibson gave a magnificent address on the influence of Burns upon social life. Dancing followed the concert until the wee sma' hours.

ST. ANDREW'S CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

St. Andrew's annual Congregational meeting was held on Wednesday evening and reports of the various departments of church work were received. Votes of thanks were extended to the Pastor and his wife, Rev. R. B. Layton and Mrs. Layton, also to Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Edmunds, whose work in connection with the Sunday School is much appreciated. Appreciation was also expressed for the work of the teachers, the Choir, the Treasurer Mr. J. Finlayson; the Secretary, Mr. Jesse Fraser, and the Ladies' Guild who have aided so materially in church financing. Retiring Managers, Mr. G. E. DeLong, Mr. John Gilmour, Mr. H. Trimble, Mrs. E. L. Misener and Mrs. C. E. Todd, were re-elected for the next three years. Report of session showed 49 individuals and 203 families connected with the church.

A resolution passed to print for the year 1932 a financial statement showing names and contributions of all subscribers; this statement to be mailed to every family connected with the Church. The matter of giving out envelopes was left to the discretion of the Board.

The Sunday School and Ladies' Guild show most satisfactory results financially, the former having raised \$294.44 and the latter the sum of \$521.81. Mission Band receipts were \$12.66 and the Young Ladies' Auxiliary \$110.00 for their year's work. Church Treasurer reported \$3,085.49 raised from all sources.

MID-WAY NEWS

The fourth annual Card Party was



CARTER'S LITTLE BLUE PILLS

held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kirk, January 12, 1932.

Owing to the severe weather, all those invited were not able to come. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Hemeny and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Mr. and Mrs. A. MacKenzie and son Angus; Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen; Miss Effie Deicher, Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin and family; Mr. and Mrs. Stuber; Mr. Orville Dostley; Miss Zella Dostley; Mr. and Mrs. A. Nufer and family; Mr. and Mrs. McClary and family; Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson; Mrs. Northcott and sons, Mr. R. Kirk and daughters. Ladies' list, Glider Nether, (a lovely linen table cloth); Ladies' Consolation, Freda Nufer, (a paring knife); Gent's list, Mr. McClary, (a pair of bedroom slippers); Gent's Consolation, a tie between Mr. A. Hemeny and Mr. Northcott) won by Mr. Northcott, (a little flash light. A delicious supper was served at 2 o'clock by the Hostess.

RED DEER WINS

BY SCORE OF 7-1

Red Deer won by the one sided score of 7 to 1 on Saturday night. The game was a good one and despite the cold weather, a fine crowd of supporters turned out. Lacombe, though playing hard were not effective, and the Red Deer defence was working to perfection. A Jacobs of Red Deer started the scoring by getting the only tally of the first period on a long shot from centre ice. From a face-off near Lacombe's ice, in the second period, Pettet tucked in a swift puck to raise the lead. Then Darcy added another, just before Duckworth, of the Lacombe squad, made their only goal on a speedy drive from centre ice. In the third period, Lee and Darcy, assisted by Pettet, combined for Red Deer's additional four goals.

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Mrs. John Berg's Public Auction Sale

Having received instructions from the owner, I will sell at Public Auction on the H. A. Kennedy Farm 2 miles North and 1/2 mile East of Lacombe on **Monday February 15, at 11 o'clock**

1 Sorrel gelding, 10 years old, wt. 1200;
1 Sorrel gelding, 8 years old, wt. 1125;
1 Bay mare, 5 years old, wt. 1225;
1 Chestnut gelding, 10 years old, wt. 1275;
1 Brown mare, 5 years old, wt. 1200;
1 Sorrel Gelding, 7 years old, wt. 1100.
1 Black gelding, age 8, wt. 1750;
1 Sorrel gelding, 9 years old, wt. 1300;
1 Bay mare, aged, wt. 1200;
1 Sorrel gelding, aged, weight 1150;
1 heavy Chestnut gelding, wt. unknown, age 10;
1 Bay mare, age 6 years, wt. 1200;
2 Cows; 40 Hens; 100 White Leghorn Pullets.
20-run McCormick seed drill; John Deere spring tooth cultivator; Massey-Harris 3-disc gang plow; McCormick 12 ft. Hay rake; 16 in. walking plow; set bob sleighs, 2 in.; dray; cutter; 2 hay racks; 6 section drag harrow; 8 ft. Disc harrow; mower, 5 ft.; sweep rake; hay stacker; 1 wagon and box (3 in.); wagon 2 1/2 in. Old Hickory; wagon, 2 in.; 5 sets plow harness; hay forks, garden tools, post hole digger; carpenter tools; fanning mills.

Heating stove; Congoleum rug 9x12; range; Linoleum 5 x 6; Book shelf; kitchen mirror; 4 rag rugs; coal oil lamps; hanging lamp; 10 gallon crock and other small crocks; dresser; double bed; 2 single beds; 1 cot bed; 2 oak rockers; Oak extension table; 2 centre tables; 1 stand; kitchen chairs; refrigerator; kitchen cupboard; kitchen cabinet; vacuum washing machine; foot warmer; dishes and kitchen utensils; sealers; 5 gallon and 8 gallon cream cans; clothes basket; sewing machine.

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The weather man evidently got himself. Since reporting the capture of Bob Rhind's butterfly, and the butterfly last week the thermometer has registered from 41 to 50 below on three occasions.